

Librarian's Corner



Kolter Elementary ♦ Cynthia Oubre, Librarian ♦ September 2012 Vol 4

Notes from the Librarian

Welcome back everyone and a big welcome to new staff and new students.



Call for library volunteers!

The library is looking for a few volunteers:

- to facilitate and arrange practices for the K-2 NTB contestants.
- to help with the 2012 summer read /HISD Millionaire read program celebration
- to read to Kinder during Jump Start for read day on October 4th, 2012 and
- library shelving, checking in/out books to students. If interested, please see me during Open House 9/20 and 9/24.

NAME THAT BOOK

Applications for Name that Book can be picked up in the library.

Accelerated Reader (AR)

Please pick up an "Accelerated Reader Guide for Parents" brochure from the librarian during Open House. Accelerated Reader grading cycle for

2012-2013 is posted on the librarywikispaces.

Future Events

Sept. 28 Millionaire participants celebration

Oct. 4 Jumpstart for the Record Day

Oct.14 Meet author Lois Lowery @Johnston MS.

Details on the library wikispaces



Kolter's 2012 summer reading celebration

Summer reading logs and activities have been turned in and the participants will enjoy a celebration on Friday, September 28th during their scheduled lunch periods.

Parents and guests are welcome to come and enjoy the celebration with us. Please check your child's lunch schedule.

Top Readers from each class are posted under separate cover.



Kindergarten Cultural Literacy Unit

The Kindergarten literacy classes have begun and the first country visited was our very own USA. Their next virtual visit will take them to China. On each

country's visit students learn about the language, the music, something cool about the country, the continent, the flag and the capital. They also learn about the country's history, currency and view a few of the most famous sites and fabulous foods via video. Each kinder class rotates to the library for the literacy unit in 7-1/2 week intervals.

Quote of the Month

"You have brains in your head. You have feet in your shoes. You can steer yourself any direction you choose."

-- Dr. Seuss, *Oh! The Places You'll Go*

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